

80 of the acts of the 27th General Assembly, the following: "At the age of 18 years, if a girl, and at the age of 21 years, if a boy."

Approved April 16, 1900.

CHAPTER 101.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS AT MITCHELLVILLE.

S. F. 806.

AN ACT making provision for the support of the department of the industrial school for girls, at Mitchellville, Iowa. [Amendatory to chapter 8, title XIII, of the code, relative to the industrial school, and chapter 81 of the acts of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly, relating to the support of the industrial school.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Per capita support fund. That section one (1), of chapter eighty-one (81) of the acts of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly be and it is hereby amended by striking out the word "ten" in the last line, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twelve." Provided, that this amendment shall be construed to take effect on the first day of March, A. D. 1900.

SEC. 2. Appropriation for chaplains. That there be and is hereby appropriated to pay for the services of chaplains at the department of the industrial schools for girls, at Mitchellville, the sums as follows: For the four months ending June 30, 1900, the sum of \$50.00; for the biennial period ending June 30, 1902, the sum of \$300.00, one-half of which may be drawn during each year of said period.

SEC. 3. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 5, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader April 6, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 102.

IOWA INDUSTRIAL REFORMATORY FOR FEMALES.

H. F. 187.

AN ACT relating to the industrial school for girls and to establish a reformatory for females at Anamosa, Iowa, to be known as the Iowa industrial reformatory for females, and to make appropriations therefor. [Additional to chapter 8, title XIII of the code, relating to industrial school, and chapter 2, title XXVI, relating to penitentiaries.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Name and location. There is hereby established at Anamosa, Iowa, the Iowa industrial reformatory for females.

SEC. 2. Management—officers—rooms. Said reformatory shall be under the control of the board of control of state institutions, and the immediate management of it shall be under such officers as said board may deem proper, but the chief executive officer of said institution, so selected by the board, shall appoint all subordinate officers and employes, as provided in chapter one hundred eighteen (118), acts of the 27th General Assembly, and the salary or compensation to be paid any officer or employe of said reformatory shall be fixed in the manner provided in said chapter. Said reformatory may use and occupy the building now known as the female department of the penitentiary at Anamosa, except the two rooms on the lower floor at the right of the main entrance of the said female department, which may be used as store rooms by said peniten-

tiary and reformatory, and said rooms shall be under the control of the warden of the penitentiary.

SEC. 3. When opened. Said reformatory may be opened under the direction of the board of control of state institutions as soon as the female department of the penitentiary and the warden's house shall be completed.

SEC. 4. Instruction. Any woman or girl committed or transferred to said institution shall be instructed in piety and morality, and in such branches of useful knowledge as are adapted to her age and capacity, and in some regular course of labor, as is best suited to her age, strength, disposition, and capacity, and as promises best to secure the reformation and future well-being of the inmate, and to that end the board of control is authorized to establish, and cause to be operated, in such institutions, schools for education and industrial training, as may be deemed best.

SEC. 5. Commitments. All girls who may now be committed under chapter eight (8), title thirteen (13) of the code, to the industrial school at Mitchellville, may, in the discretion of the district court or judge thereof, be committed to said industrial school or to this reformatory; provided, however, that no girl under nine years of age shall in any event be committed to said reformatory or to said industrial school under the provisions of this act or of chapter 8, title 13, of the code.

SEC. 6. Commitments continued. Any woman or girl over the age of fourteen years, who may be an inmate of the industrial school for girls, whom the superintendent of such school may report to the board of control of state institutions as being unruly and incorrigible, and whose presence is dangerous and detrimental to the welfare of such school, may be, upon investigation of the charge by the board of control, and the same being substantiated, ordered transferred by said board of control to said reformatory, to be kept there, under such rules and regulations as may be provided therefor and for the length of time prescribed by chapter eight (8) of title thirteen (13) of the code.

SEC. 7. Discharge or parole. The board of control shall have power to order the discharge or parole of any person who is confined under the provisions of this act in said reformatory, said discharge or parole to be a reward for good conduct and for proficiency in studies, and for excellency in work in the industrial department. If paroled, such order shall remain in effect, or terminate under such rules and regulations as may, with the approval of the board, be prescribed.

SEC. 8. Officers of penitentiary to serve. The physician, chaplain, and storekeeper at the Anamosa penitentiary shall also serve in the same capacity for the Iowa industrial reformatory for females, for the compensation already provided by law.

SEC. 9. Board to notify judges and clerks. At least thirty days prior to the opening of said institution for the reception of inmates, the board of control shall officially notify each judge of the district, superior, or police courts, and each clerk of the district court, of each county in this state, of the time when such institution shall be open for the reception of inmates.

SEC. 10. Board to name officers and fix salaries. The board of control of state institutions shall determine what officers may be necessary at said institution, in addition to the superintendent heretofore provided for, and fix the salaries of the same, and may prescribe their duties, and they shall be appointed in the manner prescribed in chapter one hundred eighteen (118), acts of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly, which chapter shall apply to and govern said institution in all respects, except as herein provided.

SEC. 11. Heat, light, water, etc. Heat, light, water, sewer facilities, power to operate machinery if needed, shall all be furnished to said reformatory free by the penitentiary at Anamosa.

SEC. 12. Per capita appropriation — estimates for supplies. There is hereby appropriated for the support, care, maintenance, clothing, and transportation of the inmates of said reformatory, and for the purpose of maintaining the schools therein, the sum of fifteen dollars per month per capita, or so much thereof as may be necessary for each inmate thereof; said per capita to be based upon the average number present for the preceding month, and to be available one month in advance. The chief executive officer of said institution is hereby authorized, a month in advance of said opening, to make estimate herein provided for all supplies for the operation of said institution, on the basis of fifty inmates for the first month. Thereafter, all the provisions of chapter one hundred eighteen (118) acts of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly, relating to estimates, vouchers, reports, and otherwise, shall apply to this institution, providing that said estimates shall be made by the warden of the penitentiary at Anamosa, Iowa, upon information furnished by the chief executive officer of said institution, and the said warden shall return to the board of control of state institutions said estimates for approval; and requisitions for supplies needed in said reformatory shall be made upon said warden by such officer of said reformatory as the board of control may designate, and said requisitions shall be honored by the said warden and the storekeeper of said penitentiary.

SEC. 13. Appropriation for industries. For the purpose of establishing and operating proper industries in said institution, there is hereby appropriated the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and for the purpose of furnishing said reformatory there is hereby appropriated the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

SEC. 14. Government and discipline. The board of control of state institutions is hereby authorized to make any provisions for the government, discipline, and control of said institution, not herein specifically provided for, and not in conflict with law.

SEC. 15. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 6, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Leader April 10, 1900, and in the Iowa State Register April 11, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 103.

RELATING TO THE INDUSTRIAL HOME FOR THE BLIND.

H. F. 410.

AN ACT providing for closing the industrial home for the blind, and for paying for the transportation of inmates to their homes, and authorizing the board of control of state institutions, to employ and pay a custodian to care for the buildings and property, and authorizing said board to lease the land and collect the rentals thereof, and to sell or dispose of the personal property at said institution, and making an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this act. Also providing for the transfer to the general funds of the state certain unexpended balances of special appropriations. [Additional to chapter 10, title XIII, of the code, relating to the industrial home for the blind.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Board of control to close institution — expenses of inmates. As soon as practicable after the passage of this act, the board of control of state institutions is directed to close the industrial home for the blind at Knoxville, to cease all manufacturing thereat, and to cause to be sent to their homes in this state, all of the inmates therein, who may